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A HEAVY TRACK AT GRAVESEND.

Favorites Capture All of the Leading Events.

New York, June 9.—It ceased raining just before the horses were called to the post at Gravesend today, and as a result the racing was much more enjoyable than yesterday, when the horses and jockeys were chilled by the driving storm. Of course the track was heavy, and only mud larks of the most approved type had any chance of winning the lion's share of the prizes. W. C. Daly's Ballou upset favorite, by defeating the favorite, Irish Rebel, for the Poughkeepsie Stakes, but the favorite, McKee, won the Greater New York Hurdle Handicap, and the talent could find no fault with the manner in which fortune dispensed her awards. Hamburg, Cesar and Arabian, well-played good things, went through safely, and the ring was hard hit on the day. Summary:

First race—Five furlongs. Hamburg, 104, White, 2 to 1, won; Previous, 105, Elms, 6 to 1, second; Swango, 104, Hewitt, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:03 1/4.

Second race—One mile. Shultz, 100, T. Sloan, 2 to 1, won; Concord, 109, Sims, 5 to 1, second; Falcorn, 102, Hewitt, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:45 1/2.

Third race—The Poughkeepsie Stakes, of \$2,000. \$500 to second, six furlongs. Irish Rebel, 95, O'Connor, 6 to 1, won; Irish Rebel, 105, T. Sloan, 5 to 1, second; Prompt, 101, Merritt, 6 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1/2.

Fourth race—One and one-half miles. Arabian, 93, Maher, 6 to 1, won; Parmesan, 95, Ford, 10 to 1, second; Irish Rebel, 105, T. Sloan, 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:51.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs. Cesar, 110, H. Shields, 6 to 5, won; H. Daddy, 93, Powers, 8 to 1, second; Dolando, 106 1/2, Thorpe, 3 to 1, third. Time, 1:37 1/2.

Sixth race—The Greater New York Hurdle Handicap, of \$1,500, to the winner, \$1,200, two miles, over eight hurdles. McKee, 152, Hennessy, 3 to 1, won; Forget, 151, English, 6 to 1, second; Flushing, 157, S. Park, 6 to 1, third. Time, 3:55.

Latonia Races.

Cincinnati, June 9.—In the fourth race at Latonia today Baker and Gentry's Rosinante, whose effort was intended as a preparation for the race Saturday, was cut down, and will not be able to race for a long time, if ever again. Summary:

First race—Six furlongs. Trolley, 2 to 5, won; Sierra, 104, second; Katie L., third. Time, 1:16.

Second race—Four and one-half furlongs. Flora Louie, 8 to 5, won; Eleanor, second; George C., third. Time, 0:58.

Third race—One mile. White Oak, 4 to 1, won; Frontman, second; Capt. Pier, third. Time, 1:43.

Fourth race—One mile and seventy yards. Cavalero, 12 to 1, won; J. H. C., second; Fred Barr, third. Time, 1:45.

Fifth race—One mile—Three Bars, 3 to 1, won; Blithedale, second; Rasper, third. Time, 1:41 3/4.

Sixth race—Hurdle, one and one-half miles. Col. Weightman, 2 to 1, won; Zolov, second; Uncle Jim, third. Time, 2:48 1/2.

St. Louis Results.

St. Louis, June 9.—The races at the Fair Grounds resulted:

First race—Thirteen-eighths of a mile. Rosny, 12 to 1, won; Glad Eye, second; Silver third. Time, 1:22 1/4.

Second race—Thirteen-eighths of a mile. Travis, 15 to 1, won; Elsie Barnes, second; High Time, third. Time, 1:22 3/4.

Third race—Five-eighths of a mile. Barrio, 7 to 10, won; Africa, second; Siva, third. Time, 1:03 1/2.

Fourth race—Gentlemen riders; three-quarters of a mile. Lon Lass, 6 to 1, won; King Elm, second; Denver third. Time, 1:18 1/4.

Fifth race—One mile. Ace, 3 to 2, won; Helen H. Gentry, second; Celtic Bard, third. Time, 1:42 1/2.

Sixth race—Sixteen-eighths of a mile. Argonaut, 6 to 5, won; Russia, second; Tin Cup third. Time, 1:36 1/4.

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	W. L.	Pct.
Baltimore.....	26 9	.743
Boston.....	25 12	.676
Cincinnati.....	24 13	.649
New York.....	19 15	.559
Cleveland.....	19 17	.528
Pittsburg.....	19 17	.528
Brooklyn.....	19 18	.514
Philadelphia.....	20 19	.513
Louisville.....	17 20	.459
Chicago.....	14 23	.378
Washington.....	10 25	.286
St. Louis.....	8 32	.200

GAMES YESTERDAY.

Washington, 6; St. Louis, 0.
Baltimore, 11; Cleveland, 6.
Philadelphia-Chicago—Rain.
Brooklyn-Pittsburg—Rain.
Boston-Louisville—Rain.
New York-Cincinnati—Rain.

GAMES TODAY.

St. Louis at Washington.
Cleveland at Baltimore.
Pittsburg at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at New York.
Chicago at Philadelphia.

Under Earl Wagner's control the Senators uncorked themselves yesterday afternoon at National Park, and played a game of ball that was worth pulling a rowboat two miles up stream to see.

It was a refreshing event, even though the opposing team was the tail-end aggregation. It was a credit to the home club to shut the visitors out. Not a man faltered in his duty, and it seemed that Senatorial courtesy, which had been so long observed, was thrown aside for a day, and the Statesmen did a turn for their constituents, and they did it well. Every climax was given liberal applause, and the new Senator, Thomas Tucker, led the others in the battle. DeMontville must have drank at the fountain of a new elixir, for he trod the ground with a facile step, and O'Brien was like a stone wall. Sebach's appearance was what the coming of a cool shower on a warm evening in August, and his familiar "I have it" in left field was glad tidings to the 2,000 faithful fans who were in their lot on the outskirts of the City of Churches, was easily found, and fourteen singles were registered against him with the regularity of a league turnstile.

There was nothing sloppy about the work of Von der Ahe's aggregation of mixed suits. Their fielding was faultless and sharp. But they were weak at the bat. Mercer held them down to four hits in the first nine innings. In the ninth they made two, but accurate fielding prevented any runs being scored, and for the first time since the Senators shut out the opposing team.

The visitors presented many new faces under the banner of "Der Browns." Harley, the one time Georgetown star, made two nice catches in center but could not give Harley's slow curves. Lally is an entire stranger. He fielded very much in major league fashion, and got one of the half dozen hits made off Mercer. Michael Grady, the ex-Quaker, was full of ginger, and when hit by a pitched ball he lunged at it, and the Ohio twirler whether he was all the speed he had.

Hallman, another of the cast off Philadelphians, covered much ground at second, and Hartman, who is spending his first life in the National League, was as familiar at third as any old timer. Donohue was on the rubber, and his quick fielding was a feature of the game. Turner made two sensational catches, one of which had he failed to get would have been good for a home run.

The Senators gave a regular campaign of hard exercise in the way of base stealing. Tucker stretched his dog-eared form two times to second, and he was safe on each occasion. Brown, Farrell and Mercer respectively showed Morgan Murphy that his arm was without its cunning.

Charley Farrell can still be called "The Duke," if the name carries any significance. He caught Turner at second with Harley on third, and when the Georgetown lad tried to steal home on the play DeMontville threw accurately, and the young man perished at the plate. It was a play that is seen only once in a very great while.

DeMontville, O'Brien and Tucker completed a very rapid double play, and Cross, Hallman and Grady kept the score of the home team down by similar work.

Tom Brown walked to first in the initial inning, and at once set the pace by stealing second. Sebach and DeMontville went out, and Farrell singled. The latter followed his leader and performed second, and scored the second run on Tucker's safe hit.

In the third Farrell cracked out a single over second, and was advanced by Tucker getting a pass to first. Then Reilly cleverly sacrificed, and the two men scored on Abbey's single.

Mercer started the third with his second single, and Brown followed with a safe one. Sebach sacrificed and Mercer scored on DeMontville's out to Lally. Farrell walked to first, but he and Brown were left, as Tucker died off first.

The band-aid scheme was put in active operation in the ninth, when, after Brown hit safely, he started to steal, and

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Seibach sent one over first base. Brown kept on running and scored. The Germ fielder, however, got his feet tangled with Grady's base bag and fell, after which he could easily have made second.

	ABR-H.P.O.A.E.
Washington.....	3 2 2 0 0
St. Louis.....	4 0 1 3 0
DeMont, S. S.....	5 0 1 2 8 0
Farrell, C.....	4 2 2 1 1 0
Tucker, T. B.....	4 0 2 13 1 0
Kelly, S. F.....	3 0 0 1 1 0
Abbey, R. F.....	4 0 2 1 1 0
O'Brien, Th.....	4 0 1 2 5 0
Mercer, P.....	4 1 3 0 1 0
Totals.....	34 6 14 27 17 0

	ABR-H.P.O.A.E.
St. Louis.....	2 0 0 2 0 0
Lally, I. F.....	4 0 1 3 0 0
Turner, T. F.....	4 0 2 3 0 0
Hallman, Th.....	4 0 2 3 1 0
Grady, Th.....	3 0 0 8 1 0
Hartman, Th.....	4 0 0 2 1 0
Cross, S. S.....	3 0 1 1 2 0
Murphy, C.....	3 0 0 1 1 0
Donohue, P.....	3 0 1 0 3 0
Totals.....	30 0 7 24 9 0

Earned runs—Washington, 1. Two-base hit—Hallman. Left on bases—Washington, 3; St. Louis, 4. First base on balls—Off Mercer, 2; off Donohue, 4. Struck out—by Mercer, 1; by Donohue, 1. Sacrifice hits—Seibach, 1; Seibach batted. Brown, Tucker, 2; Farrell, Mercer. Double plays—Farrell and DeMontville; DeMontville, O'Brien and Tucker; Cross, Hallman and Grady. Hit by pitcher—By Mercer, 1. Passed balls—Murphy, Farrell. Umpire—Mr. Sheridan. Time of game—1 hour and 30 minutes.

THE CHAMPIONS' GREAT GAME.

Up to the Eighth It Looked Like a Shut-Out.

Baltimore, June 9.—Up to the eighth inning, the game today looked like a shut-out. Only three hits had been made off Hoffer, and the champions were playing a wonderful fielding game. In the last inning Hoffer let up in his work, and errors by Jennings and Ketz enabled the Indians to roll up six runs. Attendance, 3,521. Score:

	R.H.P.O.A.E.
Keeler, R. F.....	2 2 2 0 0
Jennings, S. S.....	2 2 2 3 1
Kelly, I. F.....	1 0 2 0 0
Steal, C. F.....	1 3 2 0 0
Doyle, Th.....	1 12 2 0 0
Reitz, Th.....	1 2 2 4 1
Quinn, Th.....	1 0 0 4 0
Lowmeyer, C.....	1 2 2 0 0
Hoffer, P.....	1 0 3 4 0
Totals.....	11 13 27 12 0

Earned runs—Baltimore, 3; Cleveland, 2. Three-base hit—Tolson. Two-base hits—Steal, 2; Wallace, Burkett. Stolen bases—Jennings, 2; Kelly, Doyle, 2; Ketz. Reitz. Steal. First base on balls—By Hoffer, 4; by McGovern, 2. First base on errors—Baltimore, 4; Cleveland, 2. Hit by pitcher—By McGovern, Jennings. Passed balls—Jennings, 2. Double plays—Reitz, Jennings and Doyle; Quinn, Ketz and Doyle. Umpire—Mr. McDonald. Time of game—2 hours.

Bowdoin Outclasses Competitors.
Brunswick, Me., June 9.—In the State inter-collegiate outdoor athletic meeting, held here today, with a large attendance, Bowdoin won handsily, easily outclassing the other colleges.

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CURTIS' FINE PERFORMANCE

He Carries Off Three Firsts for the Centrals and Breaks a Record. A Fine Day for the Sports, But the Track Was Very Poor—The Summaries.

The sturdy young athletes of Central High School demonstrated their right to hold the inter-High School championship by an overwhelming victory on Georgetown Field yesterday afternoon.

Out of the twelve track and field events on the program the Centrals won eleven firsts and scored almost twice as many points as the three other schools combined. Overhead the day was an ideal one for the games. The skies were blue, the atmosphere soft and balmy, and there was scarcely a breath of wind stirring. But the track was in bad condition, the rain of the previous day having left it a sea of mud, and the going was very poor. Consequently the time in most of the events was only fair.

At the hour set for the first event the field was thronged with the supporters of the various schools. The girls were especially in evidence. The grand stand at the north of the field was filled with them, and the way they rooted was a caution. They waved the colors of their schools frantically, clung to each other fiercely when the bunch went down with a crash in the bicycle races, and thrilled with admiration as the strong-limbed youths scaled high over the bar in the pole vault. The enthusiasm of the spectators was a feature of the afternoon, and it doubtless spurred on many a youngster to fight desperately for victory.

Probably the most exciting events of the afternoon were the bicycle races. There were quite without number, and it was a marvel that some of the riders were not killed or maimed. But all escaped, with only slight bumps and bruises. Little Adams, of Easterns, won the only first scored by his school, by taking the pole vault, with ease, clearing the bar at 9 feet 4 1/2 inches, and also won the hurdle race in good style.

Farrow came next, scoring three firsts for his team. He won the hundred-yard dash in fine style from Young, took the broad jump in pole vaulting, with ease, clearing the bar at 9 feet 4 1/2 inches, and also won the hurdle race in good style.

Stuart had no trouble in taking the half-mile and mile, coming home fully a hundred feet ahead of the bunch in the latter event.

The prompness with which the races were run off made an early finish possible, and the last event was concluded before 5 o'clock.

The sports today the various schools were: Central, 9; Eastern, 19; Western, 17; Business, 3.

The officials of the day were: Manager, Eugene E. Wilkins; referee, Sam Stinebaugh; track judges, J. S. Walsh, M. C. Moore, Dr. P. B. West, field judges, B. J. Weyers, J. William Beatty, C. D. B. Claiborne; timers, W. E. Fox, C. A. Cabrera, E. B. Wilson; measurers, W. K. Larrimore, E. Speare; starter, W. H. Foley; clerk of course, A. A. Ely; assistants, C. K. Rapp, M. C. Parsons, B. B. Jones, J. P. McLaughlin, T. H. McHenry, A. J. Klapp; announcer, J. N. Hoover.

The summary: 100-yard dash—Farrow, C. won; Young, C. second; Tausig, W. third. Time, 10.4-5 seconds.

220-yard dash—Young, C. won; Tausig, W. second; Ruff, C. third. Time, 24.4-5 seconds.

440-yard dash—Farrow, C. won; Tausig, W. second; Stuart, C. third. Time, 54 seconds.

One mile run—Stuart, C. won; Smith, W. second; Etzler, E. third. Time, 2:12.

One mile run—Stuart, C. won; Curtis, C. second; Bradford, C. third. Time, 5:08.

220-yard hurdle—Curtis, C. won; Zurborn, E. second; Kelley, C. third. Time, 29 seconds.

Running broad jump—Farrow, C. won. Distance, 21 feet, one-half inch.

Running high jump—Curtis, C. won; Baumgarter, E. second; Rollins, C. third. Height, 5 feet 2 inches.

Pole vault—Curtis, C. won; Zurborn, E. second; Underwood, C. third. Height, 9 feet 4 1/2 inches.

Putting twelve-pound shot—Underwood, C. won; Shell, E. second; Ray, C. third. Distance, 35 feet 2 inches.

One mile bicycle—Adams, E. won; Weaver, B. second; Wamnamaker, W. third. Time, 3 minutes.

Two-mile bicycle—Plant, C. won; Wamnamaker, W. second; Adams, E. third. Time, 5:55.

NEGRO THUGS CAUGHT.

Two Men Charged With Shooting Grocer Kessler Arrested.

After having been at liberty for nearly four months the colored burglar who shot and badly wounded Mr. Z. W. Kessler, in his grocery store at Tenth and C streets northeast, is at last in custody. He is William Hall, alias Clark, and his capture is the result of a clever piece of detective work on the part of Detectives Weedon and Lacy, of police headquarters. Clark's accomplice in the crime has been discovered to be William Hawley, alias Hall, who is now serving a sixty-days' sentence in the jail for larceny, though his connection with the Kessler shooting was not known at the time of the commitment.

The officers also have under arrest the Jones, who has been implicated with Clark and Hall in several other robberies, and it was from him that it was learned of their connection with the Kessler affair.

Jones also admitted to the detectives that he had been connected with Clark in holding up an Annapolis street car over last winter, when they attempted to rob him of his cash box. The officers also believe that the three men are the parties who robbed the grocery store of J. H. Ridgely, at No. 15 Fifteenth street northeast.

NEWS FROM ALEXANDRIA

Dodge's Bad Record in Massachusetts and Maryland.

Bryan to Rebuild His Plant—Columbia Fire Company Goes to Annapolis—Other Items.

Alexandria, June 9.—Chief Webster today received a letter from Flushing, L. I., in relation to Dodge, who is now in jail here awaiting a requisition from the Maryland authorities. The writer stated to Capt. Webster that Dodge had been arrested in Flushing on account of suspicious actions, and had on him blank checks signed by Havemeyer, the sugar king, and Seth Low, also letters of recommendation from Gen. Nelson Miles and other prominent people.

Another letter to the chief from Havemeyer, Mass., states that Dodge was at one time an inmate of the Massachusetts penitentiary. Dodge was identified today by a Baltimore lady, who came here accompanied by a detective, as the man who recently passed a bogus check on her at her home in Baltimore.

Capt. Herbert Bryan has determined to rebuild his large fertilizing plant, which was totally destroyed by fire last week. This enterprise gives employment to a large number of men.

Twenty members of Columbia Fire Engine Company left here this morning at 8 o'clock for Annapolis. They will compete for a prize there tomorrow, which they seem confident of winning.

Capt. Thomas Perry entertained M. D. Corp Camp. Sons of Confederate Veterans at their regular meeting last night by an address on "Frisson Life at Johnston Island." Capt. Perry has promised to deliver another address to the camp in the near future.

Frank Carroll and Jean Cross, both colored, had a fight at the colored Old Fellows Hall last night. Cross was cut over the right eye with a knife. Carroll will work out a \$20 fine on the chain gang.

M. B. Barlow today qualified for the eighth time as city treasurer. The term of the office is for three years, and Mr. Barlow has already served for twenty years. He resigned once, but was almost immediately reappointed. Mr. Barlow's bond is \$75,000.

The various insurance companies interested in the fire last Thursday morning have their adjusters at work in the city summing up losses. It is said that some cases are already satisfactorily adjusted and that all will be.

Charles Gaskins has sold to Milly Lockert for \$160 a lot on West street, between Orinoco and Trinitas.

As executor for M. Normyle, G. H. Barlow has sold to D. J. Geary a house and lot on Lee street, north of Duke, for \$400.

C. F. Thomas, master mechanic of the Southern Railway in this city, left last night for Old Point to attend the meeting of the Car Builders' Association.

R. M. Latham is a candidate for the clerkship of the common council of this city.

On Sunday next Children's Day will be celebrated at the Methodist Protestant church.

The Alexandria Water Company has received from Lynchburg another carload of water mains.

The postponed game of baseball between the Y. M. S. L. and the Evening Star will be played off tomorrow at Riverside Park.

W. A. Smoot was elected delegate to the Episcopal council, which meets in Richmond on the 30th instant to elect an assistant bishop, in place of Bishop Newton, who recently died. Mr. Smoot

was elected to the post.

The Invited guests were all of newspaper-men and included representatives of The Times, Post and Star.

At Marshall Hall a magnificent banquet awaited the hungry excursionists, whose appetites had been whetted by the sail down the Potomac. To Mr. J. C. Knight, of Charleston, is due the credit for the splendid cuisine provided.

Seitoner's excellent orchestra made the trip both down and up the river a delightful one. On the boat, in one of the comfortable parlors, a regular monthly meeting of the publicity-makers was held, and, among other business, Mr. Finney was elected a member of the club. Important papers on advertising and commercial subjects were read and discussed, and it was announced that at no time in its history was the club so strong, numerically, as at the present time.

The importance of this organization as a factor in the commercial world is growing daily, and at the monthly meetings the most important and debated subjects are discussed. The two Water shells, made of cedar, are expected to arrive tomorrow. There are three crews in all—the first

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A 62-year-old colored boy tumbled into a sewer at the corner of Princess and Pitt streets, about noon today, and created some excitement before he was hauled out.

Owing to the marriage laws of the District of Columbia, as to persons of foreign birth, a marriage license was granted in this city today to Leonard Gottard and Sophia Blank, both of Washington. Rev. John M. Ebertine, of the German Lutheran Church, will perform the ceremony Sunday afternoon.

Past Grand Regent Jamieson, of Alexandria Council, No. 627, Royal Arcanum, last night gave the council an interesting account of his recent official trip to Boston.

The widow of Mr. Henry Green, a late member of No. 627, has received a check for \$200 from the council. The emblem of the order will be placed on the graves of deceased members of the council on the 23d instant.

Col. John S. Mosby was in this city this afternoon after an absence of several weeks.

Today was flower day with the members of the W. C. T. U., and the donations of flowers were very liberal. Bouquets were sent to the jail, the infirmary and to the houses of the sick throughout the city. Scott, Smith and Officer Ferguson also received floral gifts, attached to which were cards bearing Biblical quotations.

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AD WRITERS IN CONGRESS

They Enjoy a Banquet at Marshall Hall.

The Washington Ad Writers' Club Journeys Down the River and Holds Monthly Conclave.

Notable among successful Washington organizations is the Ad Writers' Club, the oldest of its kind in the world.

While the writing of advertisements dates back to the Egyptians, it has become an exact science among modern Americans. The enormous salaries paid to business writers these days have brought many into their ranks who would otherwise have taken up higher sounding, if not higher-salaried, vocations.

The Ad Writers' Club of Washington is the model after which many others, notably the Sphinx Club of New York, have been successfully organized. Their object, besides their social side, is to crystallize business thought, knowledge, and experience for the general advancement of American commerce.

Last night the Ad Writers' Club, with their friends